

of the town of Southboro'

At a meeting of the Inhabitants, qualified to vote in town  
affairs on Monday the first day of November 1802 —

1 Chose Ezra Taylor Clerk Prothono<sup>r</sup>

2 Chose Elijah Brigham Moderator

3<sup>rd</sup> Voted to direct the Committee for repairing the meeting house  
House, to mend the Roof & put two new Windows  
one in John Newton's stone in David Timpler's Pew  
and repair the remainder of the Windows — — —

4<sup>th</sup> The town Brought in their votes for a representative  
to represent them in the Congress of the United States  
as followeth viz —

for Seth Hastings Esq<sup>n</sup> —————— 52 Votes

for Colw<sup>n</sup> Bangs Esq<sup>n</sup> —————— 4 Votes

for ~~François~~ Blake —————— 1 Vote

5<sup>th</sup> Voted to dissolve the meetings

Attest Elijah Brigham Moderator

Records —

Nov<sup>r</sup> 1802 —

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Southborough March 3 1806  
The Town of Southborough Detr<sup>r</sup> to the  
Subscribers three Dollars and Fifty Cents  
for Locking unlocking and Sweeping the  
Meetinghouse the year Past.

Phineas Brigham

April the 3 1806  
Paid the above in full Phineas Brigham

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South Ber, March ye 25<sup>th</sup>, 1806 —  
To Abner Parker Town Treasurer or Surveyor  
in S.D office Sr Please to pay to Shadrachus  
Brigham or order Three Dollars and fifty  
cents it being for the purpose written under  
and this order shall be your discharge for  
that sum

\$3.50

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Coffey

From J Taylor J Collector  
Jeremiah Newton  
Silas Brigham }  
Southborough

# Condition of Sale

58-88

The Pews in the new meeting house will be set up at  
hand to see what the inhabitanee of this Town will give  
for their Chois above the sum they are pausd at the highest  
Bider to be the purchaper if any dispute shall arise the  
Pew is to be set up again six per cent to be paid down as  
Earnest money forty four per cent. in thirty days twenty  
five per cent in sixty days and the remaing twenty five  
per cent. in one year from the sale the purchaper to give  
good security with interest within six days after the sale  
or the Earnest money to be forfited no sum will be considerd  
a bid short of twenty five cent. after a bid is made unless  
another bid is made within one minit its to be recknd off to the  
last bider the purchaper is to declare his choise within six  
minites after its bid off the above sale will commence on  
Monday the 17<sup>th</sup> instant at 9 Oclock in the morning at  
the new meeting house.

Southport November 6<sup>th</sup> 1806

Mark Collins

Horehiah Day

Jeremiah Weston

Willard Weston

Committee

Recorded —

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at large in the  
Town Book —

Recorded in the Town

Book —

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1806

Condition of Sale  
of pews of meeting House

We the Subscribers committee chosen by the Town for leveling the  
common and moving the Stables have attended that service so far  
in our opinion as makes it convenient we therefore beg leave to report  
the cost of the same which is as follows viz -  
which is -

\$319-71  
6-15  
325-86

Southboro' July 2<sup>d</sup> 1807 -

Mark Collins      Committee for leveling the  
Jeremiah Newton      common & moving  
Willard Newton  
Charles Anzier  
Josiah Newton  
the Stables

Report of the  
Commissioner for  
Surveying the  
Common —

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We the inhabitants of the town of Southborough  
being dissatisfied with the place of the town as it now  
stands regard to the place where the Meeting house  
is voted to stand, therefore your petitioners pray  
that your Honourable Selectmen of the town of Southboro  
to grant a warrant fourth with to see if the town  
will join with your petitioners and fix a place  
further south which we think will be the peace  
and harmony of the town and convenience of all  
parties & that we will forever pray

and harmony of  
parties as your practitioners will forever know

as your friend  
Southborough April 7<sup>th</sup> 1806. John Johnson  
Reuben F.

John Johnson

Reuben Fall

Jad Brewster

Jameson entitanc

Joseph Cuttance  
Esq.

Eliza Johnson

Eliza B. Morris

Banis of  
Samuel Jenison

James L. Smith  
Abel G. Smith

See New Town  
John Nichols

Luther.

David Johnson

*Elspeth Fay*

Stephen Newton

John Jonathan Peirce

*for* *such* *men*

Joseph Togar

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 - 3600 \\
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A Selection of a Number  
of the Instructions  
for a Town Meeting

1806 —

To the inhabitants of Southborough legally assem-  
bled in Town Meeting Gentlemen —

Your Petitioners in behalf of the Centre School  
District pray you gentlemen to grant to said District  
Land north of the meeting House on the Towns  
Common, sufficient to set a School House on, and  
Accommodations and privileges suitable for that purpose  
as in duty bound shall ever pray —

Southborough April 6<sup>th</sup> 1807

Jeremiah Newton  
Mark Collins  
Heman Pay

Centre District

Petition

granted

The Town of Southborough Detr to me the  
Subscriber one Dollar for Laking on locking and  
Sweeping the old Meeting house in said town  
and cleaning said house ~~after~~  
wave taken down

Phineas Brigham

Southborough March 1 1807

No 448  
L.M.

To Abner Parker Town Treasurer or Surveyor in said office  
Let Meuse to pay to Shadrach Brigham or order One  
Dollar it being for the purpose written mentioned  
and this order shall be your discharge for that sum.

South Berwick March 29<sup>th</sup> 1807 —

\$1:00

From Taylor — Selectmen

Timothy Bellows of  
Benjamin Parker South Berwick  
Josiah Newton

Married

Shadrach Brigham

To the Town of Southborough

Gentlemen —

We the Subscribers are desirous of Building Stables on the Common for our own conveniences we therefore pray that your honours would grant to us land whereon we may Erect the same your petitioners humbly pray for ground Situated four rods North of the Meeting house beginning at the Northeast corner of S<sup>t</sup> Meeting house leaving the road leading to Marlborough four rods wide thence running West one hundred & fifty feet in length and twenty feet in width as it was stak<sup>d</sup> out by a committee chosen by the Town

Southborough January 19<sup>th</sup> 1807

John Johnson

Elisha Fay

Jeremiah Newton

John Richardson

Josiah Newton

Ebenezer Richardson

Caleb Newton

Benj<sup>a</sup>. Parker

Amasa Leland

Charles H. Burnett

Willard Newton

Phineas Bemis

Benja Collins

Elijah Flagg

Seth Newton Jr

Wheeler Fay Jr

David Johnson

Aaron Collins

Silvester Marigham

Zorah Harvey

Asahel Matthews

Jacobs Johnson

grants  
Petition for Stolle ground

Town of Southborough to Jeremiah Newton Debtor  
for Services and time Expended as Committee and  
Treasurer, in Borrowing and Collecting money to  
Build a meeting House in said Town, and  
also for Collecting the money for the Sale of the  
pews in said house, for risk and loss of bad money  
and the loss of Interest in Collecting the money  
for the Sale of the pews - - - \$ 130<sup>00</sup>  
Southborough May 7<sup>th</sup> 1810      \$ 115<sup>00</sup>  
attone

*F. Newton's account*

To Abner Sarker Town Treasurer or Successor in  
said office Sir Please to pay to Phinehas Brigham  
or order Two Dollars and Fifty Cents it being for  
his Service for Pionging the Bell and taking care  
of the Meeting House from the first of December  
1806 to the first of March 1807, and this order shall  
be your discharge for that sum

Son Thlr<sup>r</sup> March 1<sup>st</sup> 1807

\$2:50

J. Stetson  
Benjamin Parker  
Josiah Newton

of  
Southbor<sup>r</sup>

Phineas Brigham

No 13  
Settled

Phineas  
Brigham

This may certify that I have attached <sup>one half</sup> No. 10 in  
the gallery of the Rev. Mr. Parkins meeting house as  
the property of Grant Fay  
Nov. 25 1829 A. P. Fay D. Giff

May 12<sup>th</sup> 18<sup>12</sup>

This may certify that I have attached  
Pew. No. 41 in the lower floor of the Rev  
Mr Parkers meeting house in Southboro  
as the property of Percy Whipple Esq.

I also attached all the night which Ephremus  
Brigham has in Pew No 16<sup>th</sup> in the gallery  
of said meeting house. J. P. May D. S. F.

Southborough Decr. 18, 1838.

The inhabitants of Southborough to Watson Graves - Dr.  
to ringing the Bell, on Pilgrim Evangelical Society's house,

four months, at noon, from Aug. 6. to Dec 6. — \$8.50

Rec Payment

Watson Graves

To Arba Maynard, treasurer of the Town of  
Southborough, or his successor in said office.

Sir, Please to pay Watson Graves Eight Dollars and Fifty Cents  
for the within amount with his receipt, and we will  
allow the same on settlement.  
Southborough Dec. 18. 1838.

Marasvek Fay } Selectmen  
Elisha Johnson } of  
Park Fay } Southborough

#2720  
\$8.50

Inhabitants of Southboro. to Charles Johnson Dr.

To sweeping Locking and unlocking meeting house  
and ringing Bell for one year - - - - \$32<sup>50</sup>

Southboro. 1 March 1830

March 1st 1830 Recd payment of the above account by  
Frances B Fay

Charles Johnson

To Dennis W. Gray Treasurer of Southborough or his successor in  
said office Sir please pay Charles Johnson as order think two  
Dollars & fifty cents for the within amount and we will  
allow you the same on settlement as treasurer for said town

200  
150  
200  
300  
X

John Wall  
Joseph Gray  
William Parker  
Cummings B. White  
Selectmen  
of  
Southborough

Southborough April 1<sup>st</sup>. 1830  
The town of Southborough to me the  
subscriber \_\_\_\_\_ Dr.

To my parochial services from the first  
day of April last past to the first day  
of April A.D. 1830, three hundred and  
sixty six dollars and sixty seven cents.

Paid payment Jno Boon Parker

To Francis B Tracy Treasurer of the town of Southborough or his successor  
in said office

Sir Please pay the Revd Gerboom Parker three hundred  
and sixty six dollars & sixty seven cents for the ~~written~~ account and we will  
allow you the same on settlement as treasurer for said town

electmen

April th 1830

1830-69-  
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Jonas Ball  
Joseph Gush  
William Parker  
Willis Newton  
Humphrey B Wheeler

of  
Southborough